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Table 1: Economy

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	98	91	124	96	137
Unemployment rate	%	5.4	4.7	6.5	4.7	6.5
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-salaries individuals	no.	-	-	550	597	-
Taxable income (non-salaries individuals)	\$m	-	-	5.4	5.5	-
Average taxable income (non-salaries individuals)	\$	-	-	5,852	10,873	-
Taxable individuals	no.	-	-	936	960	-
Non-salaries individuals	\$m	-	-	3.9	4.2	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	39,916	45,796	-
Net tax	\$m	-	-	6.7	9.1	-
Average net tax	\$	-	-	7,163	9,146	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	15	20	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	1,486	1,587	-
Non-salaries individuals (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	4.4	5.2	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	28,205	32,636	-
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June						
Age Pension - Capital	no.	80	71	220	250	236
Age Pension - DVA	no.	70	76	76	76	76
Care Payment	no.	70	70	21	24	28
Disability Support Pension	no.	70	70	10	21	21
Newstart Allowance	no.	74	63	278	308	260
Pensioner Payment - Single	no.	71	61	215	164	153
Youth Allowances	no.	20	20	85	85	107
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	65.5	62.7	67.9	65.6	65.3
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wages and salary earners	no.	898	1,038	1,165	1,278	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	21.5	25.3	31.0	36.4	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	23,940	24,350	26,622	28,450	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no.	203	273	303	313	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	7.7	8.4	8.4	8.3	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	10,957	12,350	13,445	14,514	-
Investment earners	no.	352	406	440	532	-
Investment income	\$m	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	-
Average Investment Income	\$	3,510	4,544	4,545	10,241	-
Supervision and emolument earners	no.	2	2	2	2	-
Supervision and emolument income	\$m	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7	-
Average Supervision and emolument income	\$	16,270	16,854	19,218	22,517	-
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no.	61	67	60	66	-
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	-
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	2,904	1,832	2,213	2,394	-
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	25.9	31.1	37.0	47.3	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	72	80	100	107	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	117	129	139	143	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	112	134	153	166	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	100	123	123	140	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no.	55	77	66	97	-
Males - 65 years and over	no.	8	9	11	15	-
Males - Total	no.	473	560	620	670	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	68	68	63	68	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	150	150	118	132	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	117	117	117	117	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	103	117	138	137	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no.	35	40	54	72	-
Females - 65 years and over	no.	2	2	2	4	-
Females - Total	no.	450	476	535	607	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	138	158	180	190	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	223	233	233	235	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	224	263	289	319	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	210	242	270	297	-
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no.	123	140	140	160	-
Persons - 65 years and over	no.	13	14	16	21	-
Persons - Total	no.	901	1,036	1,164	1,277	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	49	52	67	73	-
Professionals	no.	105	120	127	142	-
Associate Professionals	no.	21	21	21	21	-
Tradepersons and Related Workers	no.	90	98	108	112	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	10	8	7	8	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	10	10	11	11	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	61	68	41	62	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	103	109	93	98	-
Laborers and Related Workers	no.	229	253	368	380	-
Non-salaries individuals	no.	11	11	12	12	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	898	1,038	1,165	1,275	-
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 20 June						
Net worth per household	\$1000	na	-	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$1000	na	-	-	-	-
Equivalised net worth	\$1000	na	-	-	-	-
Asset ratio	%	na	-	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$1000	na	-	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	na	-	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	180	180	177	182	-
Employing businesses, 1 to 4 employees	no.	57	57	56	64	-
Employing businesses, 5 or more employees	no.	42	51	42	45	-
Total businesses	no.	282	287	288	321	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no.	42	42	57	57	-
Employing business entries	no.	2	2	2	2	-
Total business entries	no.	45	45	60	60	-
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business exits	no.	20	51	51	27	-
Employing business exits	no.	6	9	3	9	-
Total business exits	no.	26	60	54	36	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	68	68	63	51	-
Mining	no.	1	1	1	1	-
Manufacturing	no.	0	0	0	0	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	0	0	0	0	-
Construction	no.	32	32	32	51	-
Wholesale trade	no.	1	1	1	1	-
Retail trade	no.	51	48	48	59	-
Accommodation, cafe and restaurants	no.	38	38	39	39	-
Transport, postal and warehousing	no.	20	24	20	21	-
Communication services	no.	3	3	3	3	-
Finance and insurance	no.	3	3	3	3	-
Property and business services	no.	20	27	26	46	-
Education, health and community services	no.	1	1	1	1	-
Health and community services	no.	6	6	9	9	-
Cultural and recreational services	no.	6	6	5	5	-
Residential other services	no.	3	3	3	3	-
Total businesses	no.	285	297	298	321	-



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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	148	135
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	128	128
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	135	135
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	92	93
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	90	88
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	97	91
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	154	146
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	155	152
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	173	160
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	164	164
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	180	177
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	180	193
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	129	148
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	86	81
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	66	54
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	61	49
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	48	30
Males - 85 years and over	no.	47	17
Males - Total	no.	2 133	2 041
 Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	131	137
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	122	120
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	102	90
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	76	78
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	99	99
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	113	106
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	144	135
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	148	150
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	133	132
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	155	171
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	148	144
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	107	113
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	66	70
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	43	42
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	35	40
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	22	22
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	15	15
Females - 85 years and over	no.	9	12
Females - Total	no.	1 668	1 676
 Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	279	272
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	250	248
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	237	225

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	168	171
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	189	187
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	210	197
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	298	281
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	303	302
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	306	292
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	319	335
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	328	321
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	287	306
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	195	218
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	129	123
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	101	94
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	83	71
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	63	45
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	56	29
Persons - Total	no.	3 801	3 717

POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	55	53
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Total fertility rate	rate	1.9	2.1
Deaths	no.	31	20
Standardised death rate	rate	7.0	6.7

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2006	2007	2008
116	119	124
120	134	154
147	132	115
104	125	138
69	61	60
97	72	52
137	143	128
157	175	202
157	152	158
164	156	151
167	176	184
205	200	182
157	160	179
88	106	124
53	50	50
41	51	50
25	20	25
7	11	7
2 011	2 043	2 083
142	145	148
132	146	146
81	82	97
74	61	45
87	82	81
115	114	108
117	117	119
155	149	155
127	137	138
177	170	172
150	155	155
124	137	149
71	68	72
53	62	64
34	28	30
17	18	20
18	19	15
10	15	15
1 684	1 705	1 729
258	264	272
252	280	300
228	214	212

178	186	183
156	143	141
212	186	160
254	260	247
312	324	357
284	289	296
341	326	323
317	331	339
329	337	331
228	228	251
141	168	188
87	78	80
58	69	70
43	39	40
17	26	22
3 695	3 748	3 812

- - 0.0

18.6 - -

3.5	-	-
7.3	-	-
0.4	-	-
0.2	-	-
1.1	-	-
0.2	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.6	-	-
0.1	-	-
13.3	-	-

5.4 - -

rus 2006

1.1	-	-
0.9	-	-
5.4	-	-
4.7	-	-
18.7	-	-
22.4	-	-
53.2	-	-

19.1	-	-
13.3	-	-
12.2	-	-
10.8	-	-
9.7	-	-
5.5	-	-

6.6	-	-
19.8	-	-
2.9	-	-

393	-	-
47	-	-
737	-	-
1 177	-	-

245	-	-
34	-	-
351	-	-
81	-	-
25	-	-
14	-	-
750	-	-

2 345	-	-
551	-	-
1 425	-	-
1 240	-	-

0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
70.6	-	-
29.4	-	-

0.0	-	-
38.6	-	-
7.3	-	-
54.1	-	-

27.5	-	-
18.9	-	-
7.3	-	-
1.1	-	-
10.0	-	-

23.4	-	-
15.6	-	-
1.0	-	-
40.0	-	-

2.4	2.7	3.1
37	31	27
8.0	8.5	9.3



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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	22	27
Total dwelling units	no.	30	39
Value of private sector houses	\$m	2.0	3.5
Value of new residential building	\$m	2.5	4.6
Value of total residential building	\$m	2.7	5.7
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	2.4	1.7
Value of total building	\$m	5.0	7.4
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	93.5	131.0
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	438	824
Campervans	no.	4	9
Light commercial vehicles	no.	246	510
Light rigid trucks	no.	8	25
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	37	74
Articulated trucks	no.	4	7
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1
Buses	no.	19	34
Motorcycles	no.	35	67
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	790	1 549
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	115	222
Campervans	no.	1	2
Light commercial vehicles	no.	65	137
Light rigid trucks	no.	2	7
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	10	20
Articulated trucks	no.	1	2
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	0	0
Buses	no.	5	9
Motorcycles	no.	9	18
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	208	417
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	157	257
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	187	333
10 years or older	no.	445	956
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	508	939

Diesel	no.	274	596
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	9	14

GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June

Total area

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

Total number

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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2006	2007	2008
31	31	17
31	36	22
6.1	5.5	3.7
6.1	6.1	4.4
6.6	6.6	5.1
0.1	12.8	3.4
6.7	19.4	8.5
201.2	177.2	218.5
995	921	1 174
11	11	13
614	558	706
27	24	33
80	79	104
11	10	12
1	1	2
44	42	53
74	78	102
1 857	1 723	2 200
269	246	308
3	3	3
166	149	185
7	6	9
22	21	27
3	3	3
0	0	1
12	11	14
20	21	27
503	460	577
337	294	410
392	395	436
1 122	1 028	1 339
1 081	983	1 247

757	723	930
19	18	23

14.2	-	-
27.4	-	-
0.0	-	-
41.7	-	-

4 587 903.0	-	-
1 614.1	-	-
37.4	-	-
38.2	-	-
192.8	-	-
302.0	-	-

0	-	-
0	-	-
120 038	-	-
13	-	-

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Table 4: Environment and Energy

	2004	2005
LAND AREA		
Land area	km2	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS		
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-
Total water use	ML	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-

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2006	2007	2008
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-	-	106 168.5
4 588	-	-
1	-	-
np	-	-
np	-	-
5 431	-	-
0.0	-	-